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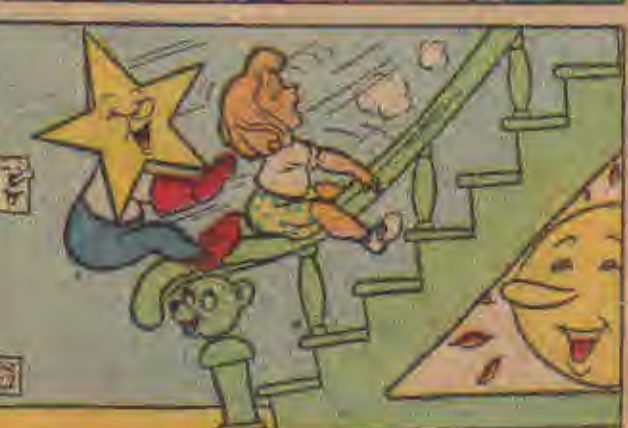


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PADDY PENGUIN

FINDS THE MYSTERIOUS STRANGER



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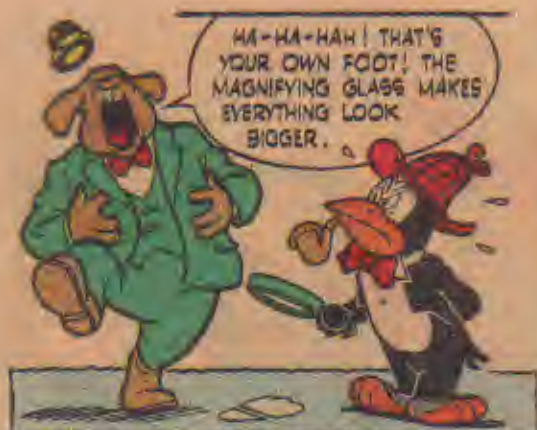
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IT STOLE MY DINNER!

TELL THE MAYOR TO DO SOMETHING FAST!







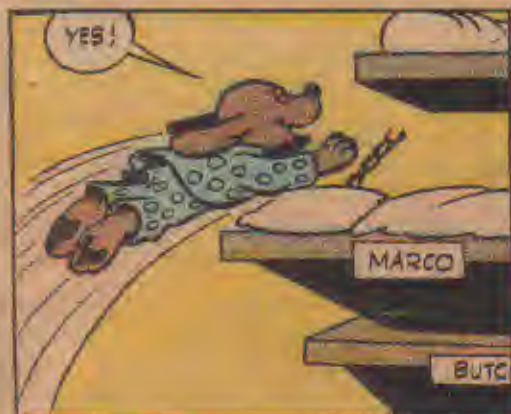


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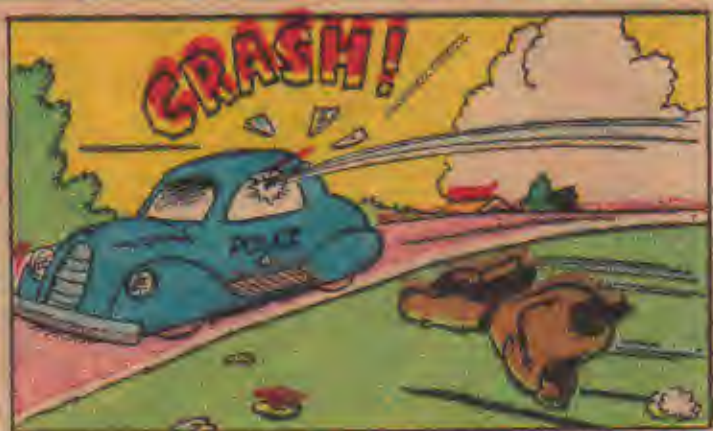
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In what way can you make
your shoe stop making noise?
Cut the tongue off.

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Why did the moron take a
flashlight to bed?
So he could see his dreams.

*Tony Allen
Evansville, Ind.*

What is round as the moon,
-flat as a chip, has four eyes but
can't see a bit?

A button.

*Geraldine Graf
Vancouver, B. C., Canada*

What kind of nuts are usually
found on a pantry shelf?

Doughnuts (dough-nuts).

*Anna Lee Henry
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How could you divide two
oranges among three children?
Make orangeade.

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What has a bark but doesn't
make any noise?

A tree.

*Margaret Cripps
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What is worn on a dress and
found in a shoe?

Lace.

*C. Burg
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What passes under the sun,
but never has a shadow?

The wind.

*Michael McMillan
Lexington, Ky.*

Every time he sees the sun he
starts to run. What is he?

A snowman.

*Ruby Stephens
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What runs but can't walk.

A car.

*Patricia Murphy
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A riddle, a riddle—now who
am I? A long tail, no head and
a single eye.

A needle and thread.

*Richard N. Smith
Marblehead, Mass.*

When is a ship at sea like a
pile of snow?

When it is adrift.

*Barbara Alcott
Ironton, Ohio*

Why are a cake and a base-
ball game alike?

Because they both have bat-
ters.

*Elizabeth Garside
Duxbury, Mass.*

What is something in the house
you can read but which doesn't
have words?

A thermometer.

*Warren Pomeroy
Pittsfield, Mass.*



Why did the moron step on the
major scale of a music sheet?

Because he wanted to see how
much he weighed.

*George C. Robertson
New York 63, N. Y.*

Why does a cat sleep more
comfortably in the Summer than
in the Winter?

Because the Summer brings
the cat-a-pillar.

*Ruth Kane
Carpenter, Wyo.*

What kind of dress doesn't a
girl wear?

An address.

*Norma Jean Sears
Butler, Pa.*

What's round on the edges and
high in the middle?

Ohio (O-hi-o).

*Tin McGee
Great Neck, N. Y.*

ANSWERS TO THE RIDDLES ON THE COVER

What is full of holes but
holds water?

A sponge!

*Judith Dowell,
Middleton, Nova Scotia*

What has legs but can't
walk?

A tablet

*Kay Barnum
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Albany, California*



What man always finds things
dull?

The scissors grinder.

*Lloyd H. Rehn
Rochester 7, N. Y.*

RIDDLES

If a barrel weighed ten pounds what could you fill it with to make it weigh seven pounds?
Holes.

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When are you most likely to get a stitch in your side?
When you're hemmed in by a crowd.

Louise Honey
Three Rivers, Que., Canada



What is the best thing to put into candy?
Your teeth.

John Peterson
Sioux City 17, Iowa

If your iceman is six feet tall, has broad shoulders and a big nose, what does he weigh?
Ice.

John Eilers
Minneapolis, Minn.

Why will a radio never replace the newspaper?
Because you can't swat a fly with a radio!

Mary Jane Layton
Bethlehem, Md.

Why is a dog's tail like the heart of a tree?
Because it's the farthest from the bark.

Dianna Herkimer
Mill Valley, Calif.

What key is the hardest to turn?
The don-key (donkey).

Jean Maddalena
Marysville, Calif.

What kind of pie can't you eat yet a child can make?
A mapple.

Robert Withrow
Mahnomen, Minn.

What fish is very rich?
Gold-fish (goldfish).

Witte Bull
Holly Hill, S. C.

Why is 'A' like noon?
Because it is in the middle of day (day).

Richard Wood
Boston, Mass.

What kind of coat doesn't have buttons?
Coats of paint.

Tony True
Alex, Okla.

What stays in bed all day and night never eats and yet is fat?
A pillow.

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What carries a comb but has no hair?
A rooster.

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Bradock, Pa.

What is the difference between one yard and two yards?
A fence.

Judy Cunsted
Carrington, N. D.

Three men were under one umbrella but none of them got wet. How did they do it?
It wasn't raining.

William Bobb
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The longer it stands, the shorter it gets. What is it?
A candle.

Lois Mantel
Opportunity, Wash.

What question can never be answered by "yes"?
"Are you asleep?"

Barbara Bolotin
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What is it which the longer you cut it, the longer it gets?
A ditch.

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Why does a watermelon have so much water in it?

Because it is planted in the Spring.

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Why did the little moron take a bottle of ketchup to bed with him?

He wanted to ketchup (catch up) on his sleep.

Lola Rae Lee
Blackwell, Okla.

What says things yet has no tongue and can travel far but has no feet?

A letter.

Steve Potter
Washington, Ohio

What waves but can't say goodbye?

A flag.

Helen Flodin
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Why did the moron put his father in the icebox?

He wanted a cold pop (soda).

Joseph Graziano
Utica 3, N. Y.

Which man in the Army wears the biggest hat?

The one with the biggest head.

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Lodi, Calif.

How can you irritate a farmer most?

By stepping on his corn.

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What is the smallest stool in the world?

Toadstool.

Myrna Johnson
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Why does a stork sleep standing on one leg?

If he pulled up both legs, he would fall down.

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What word has 26 letters?

Alphabet.

Robert Bartholomew
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What will go through a window but will not break it?

The sun's rays.

Gloria Nuzzi
Scarsdale, N. Y.



If a cabbage and onion had to race, who would win?

The cabbage, because it always comes in a head.

Tom Weitzlaue
Elmhurst, Ill.



Why is the policeman the strongest man in the world?

Because he can hold up cars with one hand.

J. M. Taylor
Pearall, Texas

What is the largest kind of ant?

Gi-ant (Giant).

Carol Anne Techlin
Seymour, Wis.

What happens twice in every moment, once in every minute, and never in a thousand years?

The letter M.

Austin Evans
Cathman, Ga.

What can a clock do that no one else can do?

Sit still and run at the same time.

Susan Spicer
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What fruit is always found in a letter?

The date.

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What falls but never gets hurt?

Snow.

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What book can't be read?

A pocketbook.

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RIDDLES



Why did the little boy brush his teeth seven times on Monday?
So he wouldn't have to do it the rest of the week.

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What kind of bows do little girls wear all the time?
El-bows (Elbows).

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What has neither flesh nor bone, yet has four fingers and a thumb?
A glove.

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What is the best material for kites?
Flypaper (fly-paper).

*Edward Lassar
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What gets wet when it dries?
A dish towel.

*Wayne Utter
Gorham, Kan.*

What is the gloomiest bird?
The Bluebird.

*Jewelyn Bauman
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What pencil can't be written with?
Pencil-vania (Pennsylvania).

*Eddie Kearns
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What can a canary do that a strong man can't do?

Takes a bath in a saucer.
*Carmelina Samperi
New York, N. Y.*

Why is a dollar bill like a bridge?

It goes from bank to bank.
*Beverly Elcher
Pleasant Dale, Neb.*

What man earns his living without doing a day's work?

A night watchman.
*Penelope Stafford
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Why did the moron run around the edge of the cracker box?
Because it said "Tear along here."

*Joyce Monbleau
Lynn, Mass.*

What car starts with T?
No car starts with T (tea), they all start with gasoline.

*Anne Rose Danza
Brooklyn 15, N. Y.*

What has two feet and two arms that can move, but isn't alive?

A rocking chair.
*Paul Pellicciotti
Buffalo, N. Y.*

Where was the Declaration of Independence signed?

At the bottom of the page.
*C. W. Uebs
White Plains, Ky.*

What would you call a tailor if you didn't know his name?
Mr. Sew and Sew.

*Jean Crum
Mansfield, Ohio*

What is round and flat when its head is up and its tail is down?

A coin.
*Wayne Byers
Donora, Pa.*

Why did the moron take the rungs out of the ladder?

He wanted to wash the basement windows.

*Beverly McKenna
Providence 3, R. I.*

What book contains more stirring pages than any other?

Your mother's cookbook.
*Ann McCulloch
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Why is it easier to read in the Fall than any other time of the year?

Because Autumn turns the leaves.

*John Starr
Williamsport, Pa.*

What has eyes but can't see and a tongue but can't talk?

A laced shoe.
*Shirley Schett
Jasper, Ind.*

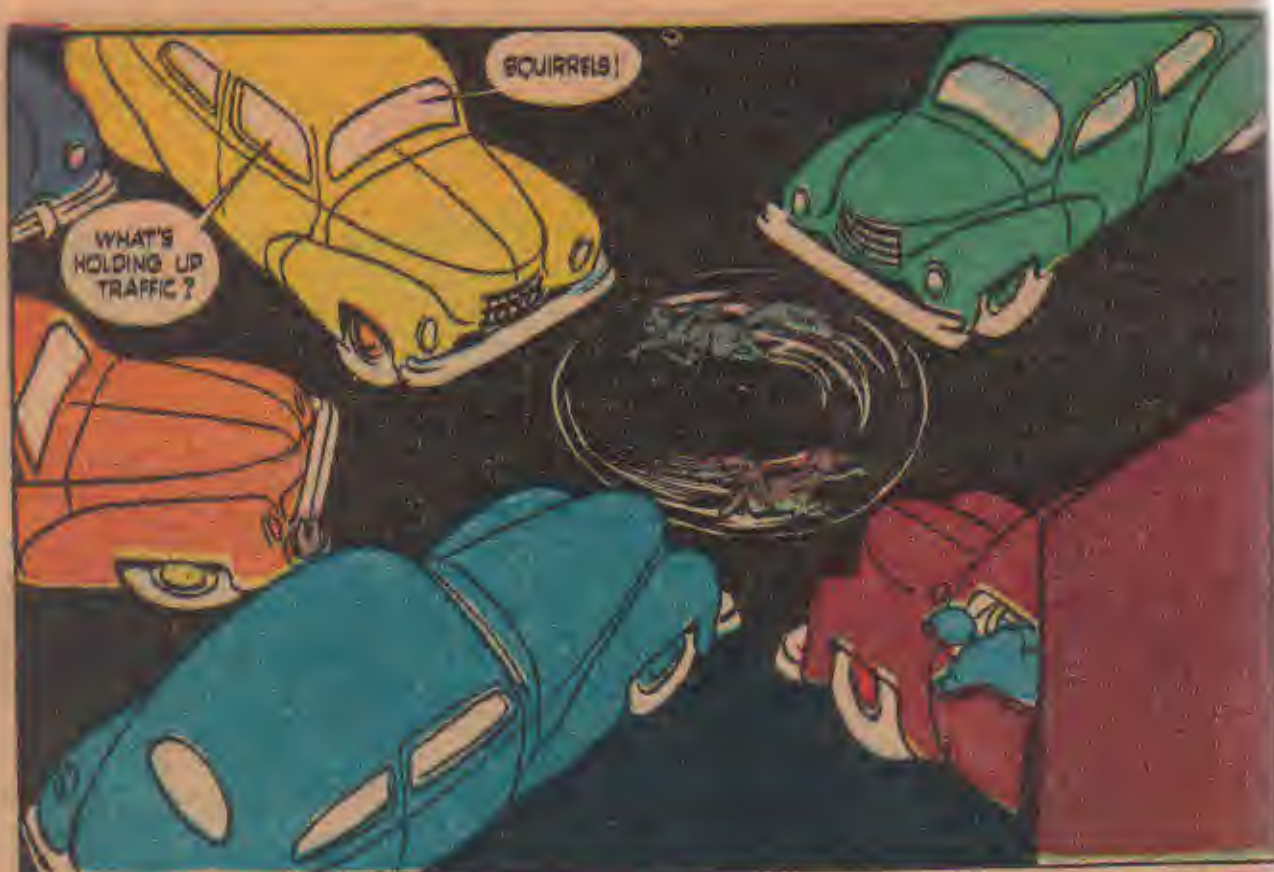
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